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**IDENTIFICATION OF SORTASE GENE** 

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## TRANSMITTAL OF CORRECTED SEQUENCE LISTING

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Gentlemen:

This Transmittal of Corrected Sequence Listing is in responsible to a Communication from the Patent and Trademark Office dated June 19, 2000 (Paper No. 8). Applicant hereby transmits a corrected sequence listing correcting the error (namely, the explanatory matter required together with the recitation of an amino acid as "Xaa" in SEQ ID NO.: 1. This corrected sequence listing is presented in a computer readable form and in a paper copy. The content of the paper and computer readable copies is the same. The corrected sequence listing includes no new matter, as the sequences themselves have not changed, and the explanatory matter added is readily ascertainable from the sequence listing and the specification as originally filed. This corrected sequence listing complies with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.825(a) and §1.825(b), and is believed to place the application in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825.

A copy of the "Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures" is enclosed with this Transmittal.

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If any further changes or corrections are required, the Examiner is respectfully requested to telephone the undersigned at (310) 788-5104.

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The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.821 - 1.825 for the following reason(s)

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	2. This application does not contain, as a separate part of the disclosure on paper copy, a "Sequence Listing" as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(c).
	3. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e).
	4. A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has been submitted. However, the content of the computer readable form does not comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823, as indicated on the attached copy of the marked -up "Raw Sequence Listing."
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